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We have them on the run; the fruit trust has held sway for too long a time. We are actually retailing fruit for less money than it costs the other dealers to buy it. WHY?

Because we do not pay two or three middlemen a long profit. We buy our goods direct from the growers at lowest possible prices, our expenses are lower than the other dealers, our profits are shorter; why shouldn't we sell cheaper?

We have enjoyed a large patronage during the short time that we have been in Salem and WE ARE HERE TO STAY. The commission houses will do their best to drive us out of business, but THEY CAN'T DO IT.

Another carload of watermelons just arrived; a large consignment of choice onions is on sale; every conceivable kind of fruit will be handled here, and the prices will always be AWAY DOWN.

Read the following price list carefully. Was good fruit ever offered so cheaply in Salem?

Fresh consignment choice Watermelons at.....15c, 20c and 25c  
Remember, we plug them before you buy.  
Large Grape Fruit.....4 for 25c  
Lemons.....25c per dozen  
Tomatoes.....6 pounds for 25c  
Bananas.....18 for 25c  
Oranges, sweet and juicy, 2 doz. for 25c  
Cantaloupes, fancy large....4 for 25c  
Cantaloupes, small sound ones, 5c each  
Peaches.....50c per crate  
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Summer or winter, sunshine or rain, it makes no difference. The gas stove is ready for duty INSTANTLY and at any time.

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## Salem Gas Works

### FIRES NEAR SILVERTON

#### DOING NO DAMAGE

A report sent in upon an inquiry of State Forester Elliot today stated that the fires near Silverton, which can be seen from this city, are on the property of the Silverton Lumber company. They are burning over the slashings on logged-off lands and are under control, and have never threatened any green timber or privately-owned property in that vicinity. It is presumed that the fires were either started by a spark from a donkey engine or were set out upon a permit from a fire warden in that territory.

The fires were first seen from this city Sunday evening and caused much conjecture as to their location. Some parties up the river thinking the smoke was rolling up from the center of this city, called their picnic off and rushed back to town only to discover that the fire was far from here. The fires are about six miles southeast of the city of Silverton.

### SPECIAL TRAINING FOR WOMEN.

Women today are specially trained for their life work. The specialization that is demanded in all fields of endeavor makes no exception in the work of women. That they should by expert home-makers is quite as necessary as that men should be expert farmers or engineers. Facilities for providing this training are afforded at the Oregon Agricultural college by new buildings, new and modern in every respect and thoroughly adapted to their intended use. The scientific instruction is broad and thorough, for the efficient woman must know why as well as how. The home economics students are likewise liberally instructed in language, literature, economics and sociology, in preparation for their great community responsibilities.

Unless a man is willing to admit his ignorance, he will never be in a position to learn.

### REPORT INDICATES THAT BOALT LIED

Saw Part of the Scrap and Bases His Opinion on Knowledge Gained at the Front.

On his way back to Mexico after three years spent in the turbulent republic south of the Rio Grande, during which he was nine times jailed and twice deported, Basil Dillon Wood, who represented an English news agency during the Madero, Orozco and constitutionalist rebellions, passed through Salem today.

Wood, who is youthful and tanned, said that he was given the choice of being deported or leaving under persuasion five weeks ago in Mexico City, and that he came by boat to Seattle from Culiacan. When the United States marines entered Vera Cruz, Wood was in jail, held incommunicado, in Mexico City. He was charged with falsifying news from the rebel army in order to harass the operations of the federals.

This charge Wood admitted in part to a Capital Journal reporter this morning. "The wires over which I sent my stuff," he said, "were all owned and censored by the rebels, and in the event of a rebel defeat my dispatch relating the facts came out at the other end invariably an overwhelming victory. So it wasn't much use trying to be especially accurate where news of constitutionalist reverses were concerned."

Wood was at several battles, among them those at Ojinaga, Chihuahua, Santa Rosalia, Jimenez, Monterey, Torreón and the bloody conflict at Durango, at which over 2000 troops on both sides were slain. He slept in the tent of Francisco ("Pancho") Villa, chief general of the constitutionalists, for three months. Another general he described himself as having been fairly intimate with was General Felipe Angeles, whom Wood stated he believed would be slain by Villa as his candidate for the presidency of Mexico.

"It will either be Angeles or Raoul Madero," the newspaperman stated. "Raoul is a brother of the late Francisco Yucendo Madero, who was assassinated under the lay fugas law, and is a splendid type of man. The name alone is sufficient to make him the candidate of the masses."

The newspaperman said that he did not regard the insurrection of Pascual Orozco in Chihuahua seriously. "Orozco is about played out," he said. "He will never be as strong again as he was in the revolution of 1911."

### PUNISHMENT DIFFERS FROM AMERICAN BRAND

Brussels, July 28.—Nestor Wilmart, the Belgian financier, was fined \$800 today and sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment on a charge of swindling the public out of \$3,400,000 by over-issuing Ghent-Terneuzen railroad shares. Wilmart disappeared in 1912 but was arrested after a prolonged hunt at Rheims, France.

Five officials of the Ghent-Terneuzen line received shorter sentences.

The S. P. Co. bridge payrolls on Willamette Pacific will be \$25,000 per month.

### SUPREME COURT SUSTAINS DECISION

In Case of Corby versus Hull Tried Before Judge Kelly—Six Other Opinions Handed Down.

But one Marion county case appeared among the usual Tuesday decisions handed down by the Supreme court this morning. The decision of Judge Percy A. Kelly in the circuit court was upheld in the case of C. W. Corby, respondent, against O. J. Hull, defendant, and D. R. Amandon and C. W. Michael, appellants. Justice Moore wrote the opinion affirming the lower court. Chief Justice McBride, and Justices Burnett and Ramsey concurred.

This was an action by C. W. Corby against O. J. Hull, D. R. Amandon and C. W. Michael, the two later being partners in a real estate business as the Home Land company, to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by reason of false representations made to the plaintiff pursuant to the defendants' conspiracy to defraud him. The cause being at issue was tried in the lower court and a judgment against the defendants in the sum of \$477 was awarded Amandon and Michael made the appeal.

The testimony given in the circuit court showed that Corby relied upon the recommendations of strangers as to the value of certain property in California. It later transpired that the title to the property was clouded and the action to cancel the deed was begun in the circuit court. In handing down his decision, Justice Moore said in part:

"A real estate agent by truthfully stating to a contemplated purchaser that he never saw the land which he offers for sale, and then falsely representing to him material facts respecting the premises or the title thereto, which he knows is untrue or of which he has no knowledge ought not to be permitted to profit by such transaction or allowed to escape the legal consequences of his unfair dealings."

"Connelly's deed is not so defective that an inspection thereof should defeat a recovery herein for a suit to correct the description could have been maintained if the grantors had been permitted to execute another."

"It follows that the judgment should be affirmed and it is so ordered."

Other decisions handed down were as follows:

Bertha E. Dygert vs. City of Eugene et al, appellants, appealed from Lane county, action for personal injury. Affirmed.

Ruth A. Stanley vs. George P. Toppling et al, appellants, appealed from Coos county, suit to determine an adverse claim to real property. Affirmed.

Burness & Martin vs. Portland Tool Works, appellant, appealed from Multnomah county, suit to foreclose a mechanics lien, modified.

William C. Bailey, appellant, vs. Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, appellant, from Multnomah county, action to recover for personal injuries. Reversed.

Marcus J. Netter et al, appellants, vs. J. N. Edmondson et al, appellees, from Lane county, action to recover advances made on a contract. Reversed.

Clara Marks vs. H. J. Wilson, appellant, appealed from Douglas county, an action in ejectment. Reversed.

### NATIONAL COMPANY MUST QUIT BUSINESS

In order to still the activities of the National Mercantile company forever in this state, Corporation Commissioner Ralph Watson has asked Attorney General Crawford to bring either injunction proceedings in the circuit court of Multnomah county or quo warranto proceedings against the company. The federal court at Portland yesterday upheld the contentions of the corporation commissioner against the National Mercantile company and President Stillings in every case and the suit brought by Stillings was thrown out of court.

The suit brought by the company was dismissed on the grounds that the company was doing business without complying with the laws of the state and therefore had no status as a company under the laws of the state. Stillings company was brought to notice when it was refused permission to sell stock in this state by Mr. Watson after an investigation of the charter of the company and their methods of doing business. Subsequent litigation resulted in the investigation of Stillings' record and it was found out that he had been connected with a number of get-rich-quick schemes in other states.

Regardless of pending litigation, Stillings' agents have proceeded to transact business and to solicit patronage, according to Mr. Watson, and daily letters are received by the corporation commissioner seeking information regarding the company. Mr. Watson states that the proceedings to quash the National Mercantile company have been brought to protect innocent investors who might be induced to sign up with the company. The method of the company is to sell a sort of a policy which will insure the payment in a short time of a stated sum to the purchaser of the policy. The purchaser of the policy to return the money to the company in installments. The liberality of the offer savors of suspicion, but many people of the state have done business with the company, which Stillings stoutly maintains is legitimate. Attorney General Crawford will institute proceedings within a few days.

770 NAMES TO GO ON THE STATE BALLOT

Sacramento, Cal., July 28.—The state printing office is busy today preparing sample ballots for the primary election August 25. Just 770 candidates have qualified for state and congressional offices, a record list. The sample ballots will be forwarded to the various county clerks as soon as they come off the press.

Hood River has voted \$75,000 road bonds and dedicated an open-air theater.

### THIRD TRIAL OF ROY CARROLL, TOMORROW

The third trial of the case of the state against Roy Carroll on a charge of murder in the first degree will begin in the circuit court tomorrow at 1 o'clock.

Carroll is accused of the murder of City Marshal John Zoller, of Gervais, who was killed last December in a pistol battle with two hoboes. Carroll was captured the next day when he appeared at the police station in this city and sought medical attention for a wound made by the marshal's bullet.

Carroll admits that he was in the mix-up but claims that he had no gun and never fired a shot, and that his partner killed the marshal. The jury in the first trial disagreed and were unable to reach a verdict, some holding out for murder in the first degree and others for acquittal. The jury in the second trial stood six for acquittal and six for manslaughter.

The following witnesses have been subpoenaed by the state: Dr. H. O. Hickman, Ernest M. Klinger, Stephen Helback, Joseph Bowley, of Gervais; William E. E. J. D. Rauch, W. Carleton Smith, of Salem, and C. H. Downey of Sisters, Oregon. Dr. Hickman and Dr. Downey were the attending physicians of John Zoller, the city marshal of Gervais, for whose murder Carroll is being tried. Ernest M. Klinger was with Mr. Zoller just before the shooting which resulted in the death of Mr. Zoller, and he will testify that he heard Zoller tell his assailant not to shoot. Stephen Helback is a witness to the dying declaration of the deceased, and W. C. Smith attended Carroll when he appeared at the Salem police station suffering from a bullet wound in his right shoulder.

### AUSTRIA-SERVIAN WAR

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representatives of the big German financial institutions were in conference.

The Kaiser has ordered the crown prince to remain at Zoppot, a seaside resort seven miles from Danzig, where the prince has been playing tennis. This was taken as an indication that his majesty feared his son, carried away by war fever, might act indiscreetly in a conflict certain.

The Austrian consuls and the railroad stations were packed with Austrians who live or have been visiting in Germany, leaving to join their regiments, and with their friends and members of their families bidding them good bye.

The Formal Declaration.

Vienna, July 28.—The Austrian-Hungarian declaration of war against Serbia, issued today, was as follows:

"The royal government of Serbia not having replied in a satisfactory manner to the note submitted to it by the Austrian-Hungarian minister at Belgrade July 23, the imperial and royal government of Austria-Hungary finds itself compelled to proceed to safeguard its right and interests and to have recourse for this purpose to force of arms."

"Austria-Hungary considers itself, therefore, from this moment in a state of war with Serbia."

The declaration bore the signature of Foreign Minister Count Von Berchtold. It was ordered transmitted at once to the Serbian government.

Rome, July 28.—The Italian government regarded the European war situation today with deep anxiety.

The general view both in official circles and among the people was that Italy could gain nothing and must lose heavily if drawn into a struggle with Germany and Austria, against Russia, England and France.

Tough allied with the first and second of these five countries, the Italians have small sympathy with Austria and little inclination was shown to lend it aid in its present campaign.

There seemed an excellent prospect, in case of a general conflict, that the Rome government would refuse to join it.

In Italy there has been no outburst of war enthusiasm, such as is reported in Austria, Germany, Russia and France. The popular sympathy has been with the anti-militarists.

France Is Careful.

Paris, July 28.—The anti-militarists were closely watched by the authorities here today.

In general there was much enthusiasm but those who opposed French participation in a European struggle were numerous enough to cause trouble.

Last night they gave a street demonstration which resulted in serious rioting. Socialists and anarchist speeches were made, red flags were waved and revolutionary songs were sung.

Enraged at the anti-government outburst at such a time, crowds attacked the demonstrators, who fought back fiercely.

The republican guards were called out to help the police and there were repeated cavalry charges.

Many persons were badly beaten or trampled by the horses.

Toward morning comparative order was restored but the air was still electric today.

Only a Rumor.

Berlin, July 28.—Late dispatches reporting that Russia had declared war against Austria were generally discredited here. None of the Berlin newspapers printed the reports.

Thirty-two battalions of infantry, six regiments of cavalry and several detachments of field artillery were removed today from Bohemia and ordered to the Serbian frontier.

British Fleet Ready.

London, July 28.—The British dreadnaught fleet was held in readiness today at Portsmouth. All the vessels were coaled, fully armed and ready for service at a minute's notice. Publication of naval movements has ceased.

United States Neutral.

Washington, July 28.—Secretary of State Bryan laid before the cabinet today confidential advice concerning the European war situation. It was agreed that in the event of a great conflict, the United States would be neutral.

Ma Go From Portland.

Portland, Ore., July 28.—Declaration of war between Serbia and Austria today aroused the patriotism of Portland residents of both races to a high pitch, and hundreds are ready to return to their native lands and fight if called upon.

It was estimated that there were 1600 Austrians in Oregon available for service.

## Rostein & Greenbaum's Semi-Annual CLEARANCE SALE

Now op. Millinery Almost Given Away Nice Trimmed Hats, Shapes and Flowers AT RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES

Men's Overalls 69c Big Overalls, the kind some stores advertise at \$1. Colors gray or tan. Sale price	Men's 65c Union Suits, 45c Fine grade, light weight, knee length or ankle length. Special	Ladies' 25c Drawers, 18c pair Fine white ribbed, lace trimmed, knee length.
69c	45c	18c
Boys' Overalls 45c Bib Overalls, grey or blue; the blue ones are double seat and knees. Sale price	35c Fancy Ribbons, 20c All Silk Ribbons, figured and floral effects. Yard	\$1 House Dresses 69c Good check gingham neatly made. Only
45c	20c	69c
Men's \$2.00 Pants now \$1.25 Good strong good looking and good wear. Well worth the \$2.00. Now	Girls' 38c Union Suits, 25c Fine bleached, medium weight; a special bargain	25c Hose, 10c a pair Silk Lisle Laced Hose
\$1.25	25c	10c
Children's Indian Suits, 75c Made of khaki, very elaborate, well worth \$1.00. Special	Fine Table Cloth, 39c yard A good mercerized Table Cloth; being called a 65c cloth by some stores. Now, yard	Ladies' Shoes, \$1.50 pair Worth double; all sizes, just right for outing and camping
75c	39c	\$1.50

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## GEO. C. WILL

knows sewing machines all the way from factory to user. The seamstress many times thinks that something is radically wrong with the machine when all that is needed is the adjustment of some little screw or other trifling irregularity. Often he can direct you over the telephone regarding what to do, whereas many another dealer would insist upon having the machine brought to his warerooms, charging the cost of the cartage and causing a loss of time.

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